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Title: THERMOELECTRIC EFFECT DEVICE, ENERGY  
DIRECT CONVERSION SYSTEM, AND ENERGY  
CONVERSION SYSTEM

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated May 11, 2009,  
concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make  
this response timely.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: